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AFFIDAVIT OF LYNDA CRAVEN

LYNDA CRAVEN being first duly sworn upon her oath hereby deposes and says:

- 1. My name is Lynda Craven. I am a resident of the State of Arizona, am over the age of 18 years, and if called to testify in court in this matter I could and would truthfully testify to the following facts based upon my own personal knowledge.
- 2. I am currently employed by XCENTRIC VENTURES, L.L.C. ("Xcentric") as a content monitor. I have worked in this position since the summer of 2003.
- In my job as a content monitor, I am responsible for reviewing new postings 3. that are submitted to the website <u>www.RipoffReport.com</u> ("Rip-Off Report").
- My job is to remove the following information from new postings: personal 4. financial information, credit card numbers, bank account numbers, social security numbers, obscenities, and threats of violence.
- 5. Except as described in the previous paragraph, I am not permitted to, nor do I, change or add any content to (1) any posting; (2) any title or heading of any posting; and/or (3) any other part of the Rip-off Report website.
- I am aware that George S. May International Company has filed a lawsuit 6. against Xcentric and others in which it has been alleged that Xcentric created or authored those certain reports which are attached to the affidavit of ED MAGEDSON as Exhibit A bearing Bates Nos. GSMIC 0001—0097.
- 7. I have personally reviewed these reports and I know that I did not create them or any part of them, nor do I have any information that such reports may have been created by another employee or agent of Xcentric.

WITNESSETH I have read the foregoing Affidavit and I declare under penalty of perjury that the facts stated therein are true and correct as of the date this Affidavit was sworn.

DATED: LOC. 14, 2006